

Ref: 2025-112398

Church: Ellel: St John The Evangelist

Diocese: Blackburn

Archdeaconry: Lancaster

Form 4A

(Rule 6.2)

Public Notice
(general form)

In the Consistory Court of the Diocese of Blackburn

Church of Ellel: St John The Evangelist

In the parish of Ellel Saint John the Evangelist and Shireshead Saint James

NOTICE IS GIVEN that we are applying to the Consistory Court of the diocese for permission to carry out the following:

To remove the pews in the nave, installed in 1973 from the closed church of Newton Heath St Anne, retaining the pew frontals and making good the floor. Introduce wooden chairs. All in accordance with the photographic record and example of replacement chair.

Copies of the relevant plans and documents may be examined at

St. John's church, Ellel

(If changes to a church are proposed, a copy of the petition and of any designs, plans, photographs and other documents that were submitted with it must be displayed in the church or at another place where they may be conveniently inspected by the public.)

Petitioners:

1. REVEREND CRAIG ABBOTT, VICAR
2. PETER HARRISON, TREASURER AND CHURCH WARDEN
3. STEPH CARTER, CHURCH WARDEN

Date 05/12/2025

If you wish to object to any of the works or proposals you should send a letter stating the grounds of your objection to The Diocesan Registrar at

Diocesan Registry
Diocesan Officers
Clayton House
Walker Park
Blackburn
BB1 2QE

lisa.moncur@blackburn.anglican.org

so that your letter reaches the registrar not later than 04/01/2026. A letter of objection must include your name and address and state whether you live in the parish and/or your name is entered on the church electoral roll of the parish or any other basis on which you have an interest in the matter.

Directions to petitioner

You must display this public notice (or a copy of it) for a continuous period of not less than 28 days, not counting the day on which it was put up or the day on which it is taken down, (or for such other period as the Court may direct and subject to any special directions of the registrar) in each of the following places:

1. on a notice board or in some other prominent position inside the church; and
2. on a notice board outside the church or in some other prominent position (whether on the outside of the church door or elsewhere) so that it can be read by the public.

Certificate of publication

I, _____ (name), one of the petitioners, certify that a copy of this public notice was displayed during the period from 05/12/2025 to 04/01/2026 (inclusive)

1. on a notice board inside the church of Ellel: St John The Evangelist; and
2. outside the church of Ellel: St John The Evangelist, on a notice board [or on the principal door] [or _____] where it could be read by the public.

Signed _____ (signature of petitioner)

Date _____

Note: This certificate must be completed in full by making appropriate entries in the blank spaces and deleting that which does not apply. The public notice (or a copy) with a completed certificate of publication must be returned to the diocesan registrar once the period for the display of the notice has expired.